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A rich man died the other day. He died in the very midsummer of life, and he left his family $1,000,000. The doctor's certificate showed that death resulted from typhoid fever. The doctor himself said to a friend: "That man was a suicide. He had a splendid constitution. I could have pulled him through if his stomach had been sound. But he ruined his stomach by hasty meals, snatched in intervals of business and by neglect of symptoms which have been warning him a year past, that his stomach was failing in its duties."

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THE PORTE DEFIANT.

The Porte has refused to comply with the demands of the powers regarding Macedonia. This decision was taken at a council of the ministers held in Constantinople yesterday, the Sultan approving, and a reply to this effect was sent to the Baron de Calice, the Austrian Ambassador, who, as deyen of the diplomatic corps, had presented the joint proposals of the powers.

It is understood that the Porte's note demurs to the scheme as an interference with the Sultan's prerogatives and as calculated to offend public opinion, which would certainly oppose it.

It is further stated that the Porte will not sanction an extension of the mandates of the foreign agents, who are superintending the reforms in Macedonia, beyond two years.

By this action the Sultan has finally rejected the demands of the powers, and the combined fleets now at the Piraeus, under Admiral von Nipper, of the Austrian navy, will presumably forthwith carry out measures intended to bring the Turk to his knees. Of the effectiveness of their action doubt is widely expressed in Europe, although their course of action as yet can only be speculated upon.

Among the other difficulties to be foreseen in blockading the Dardanelles, assuming that such a step is part of the international scheme, is the lack of homogeneity among the vessels of the combined fleet.. The British cruiser Lancaster is the fastest among them, she having a speed of twenty-four knots. The speed of most of the others ranges from twenty to twenty-one knots, but the Russian vessels are obsolete, and are only capable of making twelve knots. It is claimed that the international squadron is able to land 3,000 men and twenty guns if desirable, but it is not suggested what such a force would be able to achieve.

Judging from recent dispatches, the Sultan is justified in appealing to public opinion, as far as it exists in Turkey. The correspondents have made it clear that the educated Turks greatly resent the attitude of the European cabinets. Even sincere reformers are hoping that the Sultan will resist to the utmost.

The Turks are especially bitter at seeing Russia, while in the throes of a revolution produced by centuries of oppression, taking a leading part in forcing reforms on Turkey. It is sarcastically suggested that the powers would have been better employed in sending their fleets to Odessa to stop the massacre of the Jews, and it is asked why Europe is so excited over Macedonia and so indifferent to events in the Caucasus and Poland. The whole thing to the Turks seems to be an instance of Christian fanaticism.

Apprehension in Cuba.

Rumors of conspiracies against the Cuban government and of arrests in connection therewith continue. Thirteen persons have been arrested in Pinar del Rio and 50 rifles have been seized there. Col. Julian Cruz, a prominent citizen of Pinar del Rio, and at present in Havana, has been arrested in connection with the anti-government movement and will be taken to Pinar del Rio for trial.

As Conductor Escarra was taking a handbag from a train at Sancti Spiritus the bag was seized and was found to contain two bombs. Escarra says he did not know what the bag contained. It is reported that the bombs are the property of the railroad company and they were intended to be used for blasting purposes.

Several of the liberal leaders continue to be watched. The officials say, however, that there is nothing serious the matter, and that calm prevails throughout the island. There is no question, however, that some of the liberals would like to prevent the presidential election from taking place.

The discussion, analyzing the possible motives for an uprising, admits that 432,000 voters have been registered, whereas there are only 315,000 adult male Cubans in the republic. It declares that the electoral lists are a tissue of fraud. The law offers no remedy. The government, the papers further say, has ousted a number of Ayuntamientos for purely electoral purposes. The Discussion declares, however, that a rising would not be justifiable, because such a course would end the republic. The liberals were joint makers of the law with the moderates, and were the initiators of the present frauds, which they previously practiced against their political enemies.

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"Death was fast approaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., describing his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life. I had tried many different doctors and several medicines, but got no benefit, until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt like a new man, and today I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; price 50c.

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New York Central passenger trains slowed up past of Amsterdam, N. Y., yesterday because of a freight wreck. When the Empire State express came along a small boy caught hold of the side bars of one of the vestibuled cars, expecting to ride to the station, where the train would stop. The first stop of the train, however, is Utica, and when the train whizzed past the Amsterdam station the boy was holding on to the side bars with one of his feet skimming over the ground. The train despatcher at Albany was notified of the lad's predicament and he gave orders to have the train slowed down at Akin, three miles west of Amsterdam, which was done, and the boy was rescued in an almost exhausted condition. That the lad managed to hold on to the side bars and the train running about a mile a minute is marvelous.

Herb W. Edwards Injured.

Herb W. Edwards, of Des Moines, Iowa, got a fall on an icy walk last winter, spraining his wrist and bruising his knees. "The next day," he says, "they were so sore and stiff I was afraid I would have to stay in bed, but I rubbed them well with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications all soreness had disappeared. I feel that this bottle of Pain Balm saved me several days' time, to say nothing of the suffering." This liniment is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 23, 1905.

WARS and rumors of wars are decidedly in evidence at the beginning of the present century. The curtain has barely fallen upon one sanguinary case of nation rising against nation when the Sultan of Turkey openly defies all European powers and is standing on the defensive with the impreguable Dardanelles between him and the allied fleet. From an ordinary standpoint it would seem to be preposterous for the Porte alone to attempt to thwart the will of Europe, but viewed from another it is evident that he has in his power the means of precipitating a conflict which might become almost universal. There is no telling what would be the result in case the Sultan was vanquished and attempts made to divide Turkey in Europe among the powers. Apart from this the fanaticism of the followers of Mahomet is likely to bring on what Moslems call a holy war. The area occupied by the latter is extensive and their numbers are countless. India, Persia, Arabia, Syria, Egypt and all the country as far the straits of Gibraltar contain believers in Mahomet, and the great majority of them would fly to his standard.

IN A RECENT meeting at Washington, attended by a majority of the Methodist Episcopal bishops, Bishop John William Hamilton, of San Francisco, declared that the typical American of the future would be born of the amalgamation of all the races that now inhabit this continent, and that those very persons who are today proud of what they call their Anglo-Saxon blood will be the grandparents or great grandparents of men and women partly Japanese, Chinese, Russian Jew, southern European and dusky Africans; that it was God's plan that race prejudices in time should be wiped away and that the American of the future would have become "the composite type of all the races of the earth." The bishop's speech was an insult to the Caucasian race, and the large number of his hearers who left the church during the delivery of his remarks were fully justified in doing so. The authority on which he makes his statement is not given, but certain it is that a man who entertains views in direct variance with nature has not the confidence of the Almighty whose "plans" he so flippantly expounds.

THE Board of Visitors of the Virginia Military Institute met last night and took definite and final action concerning the refractory cadets. The board rejected the compromise paper prepared under the Governor's auspices, and gave the recalcitrant students seven more days in which to comply with the regulations of the institute or be dismissed. This was the only thing to be done if discipline is to be maintained at the institute. Any recession by the board would have had a bad effect. The academic department of the institute had placed itself on record to the effect that if the board settled the matter on any other basis than that defined at the last meeting it would prejudice discipline and would have a disastrous effect on the corps and particularly on the third class. In the language of one of the members, "If the cadets are permitted under the guise of a foolish oath to subvert the principles of discipline on which the school were based, the board might as well close the institute at once."

IN THE court martial of Cadet Meriwether at the Annapolis Naval Academy yesterday the midshipmen witnessess, it is said, spoke as if there was nothing to be ashamed of about their "code," even when it was made clear that the midshipmen officers were compelled to deliberately neglect their duty in failing to report disorder or the absence of those connected with the fight. 'Captain Coivocoresses, the commandant of midshipmen, and who, as such, has direct charge of the discipline of the institution, said that each midshipman is made acquainted with regulations of the academy when he joins the institution and takes an oath to abide by them. These rules proscribe prize fighting, yet the cadets violate them and their oath and act under a "code" of their own making. This is a "code of honor" not understood by the public and one which the government should wipe out at once.

THE Washington correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald writes that leading politicians are now predicting that Mr. Roosevelt will be nominated by the democrats and indorsed by the republicans for President in 1908. He says that a movement in this direction has already been launched as the outcome of the President's triumphal tour of the South. He calls to witness a number of the leading democrats from the South who favor this course, which it is thought would absolve Mr. Roosevelt from his pledge not to be a candidate again. Well, there is nothing now too inconsistent for the human mind, and white men are "monstrous unsartin"—especially those in the South at the present time, though they were not formerly so.

A SMALL COMET which appeared near the pole star last week and has since been moving southward rapidly has given the astronomers a fresh object to watch, but their reports of its movements from day to day create no popular excitement. It is too faint to be seen without a telescope, and it is said to have no tail. A comet without a tail can never hope to convince the uninitiated of its genuineness.

VOTERS should remember that they must pay their poll tax before December 10 if they want to vote at the elections next June. Voters failing to pay up by that time will not be allowed to participate in the democratic primaries or the election.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.

The sensational disclosures of the financial condition of the Panama Canal Commission made by Secretary Bishop through the Publishers' Press Association have attracted widespread attention. When questioned further this morning as to the actual amount of unpaid bills now owed by the Commission Secretary Bishop's assistant admitted that counting present and future liabilities already contracted, the commisston now actually owes $12,000. The emergency appropriation of $16,000,000 for which Congress is to be asked will, therefore, be nearly all swallowed up in meeting current obligations, leaving only $4,000,000 to be devoted to the payment of salaries and wages and the expenses of excavation, etc. on the isthmus up to June 30th, 1906. Secretary Bishop denies the accuracy of the statement that the canal commission borrowed money from the Panama Railroad. In view of the fact that the Canal Commission has admittedly contracted liabilities far in excess of the appropriations of Congress, and of the further fact that Congress recently passed a stringent act prohibiting any officer of the government from expending more than the appropriations for his office under penalty of summary removal or fine and imprisonment, the question has been raised as to whether the members of the Canal Commission have not made themselves liable to the operations of that law.

The National Banks of New York city, 41 in all, reporting under the recent call of the Comptroller of the Currency, show that on November 9 their resources and liabilities were $1,481,424,979.40; loand and discounts $710,093,219.19; capital stock $106,550,000; individual deposits $686,762,554.57 and the percentage of legal reserve to deposits and the percentage of cash on hand is 25.26.

Another large crowd attended the races at Benning today. The first race resulted as follows: G. L. M., won; Royal China, second; Frills, third.

Chairman Charles H. Keep, of the commission, appointed by President Roosevelt to report, after examination on business methods in the various executive departments, has turned his investigators loose on the bureau of statistics of the Agriculture Department.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue will issue in a few days an order extending the time till January 1, or longer, for taking effect of the recent ruling requiring a special liquor license from manufacturers of patent medicines composed of distilled spirits, in which drugs do not impart any medicinal property.

The meubers of the interstate commerce committee of the Senate now in session here have begun an earnest interchange of ideas with a view to the framing of a railroad rate regulation bill.

Secretary Taft has returned to this city after his western trip during which he discussed Panama Canal affairs at St. Louis and Phillipine matters at Kansas City. He will now devote himself to the preparation of his reports to Congress on War Department affairs, on the Philipines and on the Panama Canal.

Congressman Swanson, of Virginia, will retain his seat in Congress till the latter part of January. His term of office as Governor of his State will begin on February 1.

Employees in the government departments are up in arms over a new telephone arrangement being installed in the government buildings. They are saying it is a scheme of the telephone company to get more revenue out of the service and that the heads of the departments, or those responsible for the new order, are permitting it. Within the last few days pay stations have been established by the telephone company in the census office, the government printing office, the postoffice building and it is understood will immediately be placed in all the other buildings. An employee desiring to call up must use the pay telephone at a cost of five cents. Should any one call for an employee, he is notified by the department operator, who insists that the caller leave his number. This requires the employee to pay five cents at the pay station in order to answer the call. It was stated at the Department of Commerce and Labor that something had to be done in order to prevent congestion of the department wires.

The report of the auditor for the Postoffice Department for the year ended June 30 shows that the receipts were $152,826,585 10 and the expenditures $167,399,169.23—a deficit of over fourteen and a half million dollars.

Secretary Root today announced the appointment of U. S. Ambassador White to represent the United States at the Morocco conference. Mr. Gummere, U. S. Minister to Morocco, will also be present.

Woman Assaulted by Negro.

John Henry, a young negro, aged 27 years, attempted a felonious assault on Mrs. Frederick Selby, of Berlin, Md., Tuesday night, but was prevented by the appearance of two small girls, who ran for assistance, frightening him away. Mrs. Selby had been to one of the stores in town doing some shopping. Henry was in the store at the same time. Mrs. Selby started for home, a distance of about six squares. Henry, who left the store at about the same time, followed Mrs. Selby until she reached a part of the town which is usually deserted at night. Then he grabbed her by the throat and choked her, telling her if she screamed he would kill her. He threw her to the ground and tore her clothing. Mrs. Selby screamed murder, and two small girls from a nearby house ran for assistance. This frightened the negro, who ran and went back into the town. A warrant was issued for his arrest and he was taken by Constable Scott about one hour after the assault and was positively identified by Mrs. Selby. There is intense indignation throughout Worcester county over the daring outrage.

Dr. Alonzo E. Melvin has been appointed chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. Daniel E. Salmon.

News of the Day.

Capt. Herbert Cushman, United States army, is being sued in Washington by his 14-year-old daughter Florence, to show cause why he should not support her.

In the future if a civil service employee of the government misconducts himself in the view of the President or of any head of an executive department he is liable to dismissal on the spot, with no further explanation, according to an executive order just issued.

The executive committee of the Zemstvo Congress, after a four-day session in Moscow, adopted a resolution expressing satisfaction with the Czar's manifesto, but insisting that the lines marked out therein be closely followed and that universal suffrage be at once promulgated.

The draft of a bill has been approved by the District of Columbia commissioners and will be submitted to Congress providing that all incorporated banks not now under government supervision should be placed under such regulation. The bill is aimed at alleged banks that really do a ten per cent. a month business and have no deposits worthy of note.

Cresceus, the king of all harness horses, was sold in New York yesterday, and just two bids were made. The first was $20,000, and an advance of $1,000 took the horse to Minneapolis to join Directum, 2.05¼, Dan Patch, 1.56½, and other champions of their day. P. H. McGuire, of New York, made the opening bid, and Cresceus then went at the next raise to M. W. Savage, owner of the great farm, near Minneapolis, and one of the leading turfmen of the country. Cresceus made the world's trotting record for stallions of 2.02¼ against time, his race record being 2.03¼.

Carroll Best, aged fifteen, accidentlly shot and killed his seventeen-year-old sister, Agnes Best, while going through a drill Tuesday with a double-barreled shotgun at the home of his father, Samuel Best, a wealthy farmer, near Wingert station, in the vicinity of Hagerstown, Md. The boy thought the gun was not loaded. He and his sister, for whom he bore the greatest affection, had just returned home from school. He procured the gun and suggested that they play drilling. The load entered the girl's forehead. Members of the family, hearing the report of the gun, rushed upstairs and found the girl dead and the boy agonized with fright and grief.

Virginia News.

The ten-room dwelling of Mrs. J. Edgar Chancellor, mother of Dr. Samuel C. Chancellor, the university druggist, was totally destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. The loss is $4,000.

Cephas Poindexter, the negro moonshiner who was brought to Roanoke from Rocky Mount two weeks ago in woman's clothes and confined, will be taken back to that town today for execution for the murder of Deputy United States Marshal Z. B. Wade.

Mr. William Lumpkin, of near Dunnsville, Essex county, has a remarkable hog to be slaughtered in a short time which is only 17 months old, but measures 8 feet 6 inches in length and is as large around the girth as a medium sized horse, and weighs 900 pounds.

The presence of a fever epidemic at William and Mary College has caused a panic among the students. There has been considerable talk of disbanding the school until after the Christmas holidays. The football team has become so depleted by the sickness that disbandment was necessary.

Yesterday morning at Coles, about 18 miles from Suffolk, William Duck was killed by J. J. Spivey. Both parties are white. Duck and Spirey quarreled over peanuts, and the former made a move toward Spivey, who met him and struck him on the head with an axe, crushing his skull and killing him instantly. The murdered man was 77 years old. Spivey is 45. He has been arrested and lodged in the Isle of Wight jail.

Mrs. Laura Hicks, aged 50 years, a native of Richmond, drank carbolic acid at the home of her niece, Mrs. Thomas Baily, in Baltimore, with whom she was stopping, yesterday, and died at Johns Hopkins Hospital in the afternoon. Mrs. Hicks was mentally affected, and had been under treatment ever since she went to Baltimore, about a year ago. Mrs. Hicks leaves two other sisters Mrs Jennie Singrew, of Richmond, and Mrs. Dr. Mills, of Hanover county.

The children of J. Samuel McCue, executed at Charlottesville for the murdered of his wife, Fannie M. McCue, have petitioned for relief from the payment of the expenses incurred in the case of the Commonwealth against their father. Judge Morris rendered a written opinion recommending the relief asked for, and certified the petition to the governor for his action. The amount paid by the State must, under the statue, be returned by his estate unless the Governor intervenes. The amount is about $8,000

The Tarbell Testimony.

After being on the witness stand before the Armstrong New York legislative committee on insurance investigation for the greater part of three days Gage E. Tarbell, second vice-president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, finished his testimony yesterday. His testimony was in substance as follows.

That he and his family carried about $500,000 insurance, all of which he had taken out and on all of which he had obtianed agents' commissions, most of them from his own company.

He knew there was a law against rebating and he had decried rebating, but his case he regarded as different, being the same, he argued, as that of a merchant who bought goods from another house in the same line of business, or as business offered without any cost to the house.

He said he traveled in a private car when on a trip visiting the company's agents, but he regarded the car as his workshop and never lost any time. The car was also used to carry members of his family.

All got free transportation from the railroads, probably because the Equitable was such a large purchaser of railroad securities.

Sometimes the trips were vacation trips.

Witness said he had no apologies to make for insurance men, and that those who had done wrong should suffer.

He proposed as a remedy for abuses publicity in all departments, a straightforward system of accounts and frequent examinations by the State superintendent.

The Meriweather Courtmartial.

The court-martial of Midshipman Minor Meriweather, jr., accused of killing Midshipman James R. Branch, jr., in a fight, began at the Naval Academy yesterday.

A protest against Commander Sidney A. Staunton as a member of the court was made by Lieutenant-Commander Robinson, counsel for Meriweather, and Commander Staunton withdrew.

District Attorney John C. Rose, of Baltimore, is assisting the judge-advocate, indicating the importance attaching to the case.

A dramatic story of the fight was given by Midshipman McKittrich, one of Branch's seconds, and his last hours were told of by midshipman Pritchard, the other. The progress of the ill feeling between the men was told of by other witnesses.

The names of the men who assisted in arranging the fight were disclosed for the first time. Ralph Yeager and E. B. Magruder were Meriweather's seconds; Harold V. McKittrich and Churchill Humphreys were in the corner for Branch, and Leigh Noyes were referee.

Meriweather pleaded not guilty to the counts ranging from manslaughter to the violation of the rule against disorder.

The first witness called was Midshipman Vandecarr, who sat next to Midshipman Meriwether at the mess table. He stated that Meriwether had told him personally that he hated Branch; there were few people that he did hate, but Branch had displayed bitter enmity to him ever since he had been in the academy, and he intended to "soak him" the first time he got a chance. The following day, or a few days after, Meriwether announced to Vandecarr that "It was all fixed up, and now I will have a chance to get even."

He said: "My chance has come now. Branch has challenged me, and the fight is going to be soon." Witness then detailed Branch's inspection of Meriwether's quarters. It seemed that in Meriwether's absence Branch had examined a dress suit case, in which he found a suit of citizen's clothes. For this he reported Meriwether, who called Branch a "sneak and a coward."

The next witness was Midshipman Pritchard, who was a room-mate of Branch, and who was present when the insult was passed prior to the fight. Pritchard said that Branch had turned in on the night in question when Meriwether had sought him in his room. Meriwether accused Branch of having gone through his room in his absence, and then called him a "sneak and a coward," with some profane trimmings, adding that if Branch wanted to take that sort of language it was all right, he left the room. Branch asked his chum what he thought of the occurrence, and Pritchard replied that there was only one thing to do, and that was to send seconds to Meriwether with a challenge. He made this statement as a matter of course, as though sending a challenge was a regular established custom.

Midshipman J. A. Eger, who was with Meriwether when he called at Branch's room, was then called. He recalled the circumstances of the visit about as Branch's room-mate had described them, and said that Meriwether had told Branch that he "knew why he had come to call upon him." Branch replied: "You are a d—n fool to take this thing up. You know every one has been on the lookout to report you."

"That is not true," replied Meriwether. "You are the only man in the academy who has ever reported me."

There was considerable discussion over the testimony of this witness, the salient point brought out being that Branch had called Meriwether "A damn fool for coming to see him," and that Meriwether had told Branch that if he would get up out of bed he would knock him down there. These were the immediate exchanges of words that preceded the challenge.

Midshipman Vincent, who was the second of Branch in the fight, was then called, and admitted carrying the challenge. There was a meeting of Humphrey, Vincent and Jaegar in Vincent's room, where the details were arranged, and two first classmen were chosen as referees and timekeepers.

Midshipman Vincent then described the fight in detail. It was about even up to the fifteenth round and in the twentieth Meriwether committed an unintentional foul. Meriwether called attention to it and offered to forfeit the fight, but it had been arranged that the fight should go to a finish, so the contest went on.

As to Branch's condition after the fight witness said it seemed to be perfectly satisfactory, bar two black eyes. He helped Branch to take the hot shower after the fight and then left him in Pritchard's charge, thinking no more of the matter.

All of the evidence tended to show that the fight between the two boys was a fair one, and that it was carried out strictly to the "honor code," which seems to have existed for years at the academy. It was also shown that there was a good deal of ill will between the two young men, occasioned by the fact that Meriwether did not submit to many of the little practices and rules to which an under classman is subjected by the older students.

Knelt in Front of Train.

Mary G. McCarthy, a pretty young woman, of New York, ended her life yesterday afternoon in a spectacular manner by jumping to the tracks of the elevated structure at Columbus avenue and Sixty-sixth street, and then kneeling in an attitude of prayer before the train, which swept down on her and crushed her. The girl's appearance attracted some attention, as after leaving the ticket chopper's box she made several short spurts toward the edge of the platform. In this eccentric manner she made her way towards the south end of the platform, where there were few people. Then she stopped at the edge of the platform and glanced up the tracks. The train was about half a block away and coming down the grade at full headway. She waited until there was no possiblity of the motorman stopping the train, whereupon she jumped to the tracks. She fell at first, but raised herself to her knees and faced the on-rushing train, clasping her hands as if in prayer and inclined her head towards one of the rails. It was all over in an instant, the train being stopped after the first car had passed over the young woman's body. A half a dozen women fainted in the station. It was said that the young woman had been suffering from a nervous malady for two months past and became a victim of melancholy.

Today's Telegraphic News

Turkey's Troubles.

Constantinople, Nov. 23. (via the frontier).—The Porte has received advices from Macedonia to the effect that if the Sultan accepts the plans of the European powers for international control of the finances of Macedonia, he will seriously weaken the loyalty of the Turks in Macedonia. This news, in connection with the renewed activity on the part of the young Turkish party since the Russian revolution has been in progress is causing the greatest uneasinese to the advisers of the Sultan. The Sultan's counselors fear the possibility of a revolution in Turkey in the near future and are greatly worried over the prospect.

An important ministerial council was held this week at the Yildiz Kiosk which lasted for two hours. It is understood that at this time the possibility of the Sultan being obliged to grant a constitution to Turkey was discussed, but is not known what decision was reached.

Vice Admiral Husni Pasha left here last night in a special steamer for the Dardanelles, and it is understood he is the bearer of instructions to the commander of the forts there as to the course to be pursued in the event of the appearance there of the international fleet selected to make the demonstration against Turkey to force her to agree to international control of Macedonian finances. The Vice Admiral also carries similar instructions to the governors of the various islands of the archipelago.

A statement from high authority today confirms the earlier reports that the Porte has refused absolutely the demand for financial control of Macedonia by the powers and will only agree to the extension to two years of the terms of the civil agents of Austria and Russia. The Macedonian situation consequently is regarded as very grave.

Paris, Nov. 23.—The evening papers contain disquieting dispatches from Constantinople as to the Macedonian situation. One report is to the effect that the Sultan of Turkey has ordered ammunitions of war in Germany to the value of 22,500,000 Turkish pounds. This is said to be the consideration which led Germany to abstain from taking any part in the proposed demonstratic against Turkey. Another dispatch says that the Sultan has notified the foreign ambassadors in Constantinople that he will not be responsible for any acts of violence due to Mohammedan fanaticism which may result from the demonstration. This is considered in diplomatic circles to be an open provocation on the part of the Sultan.

Berlin, Nov. 23.—The Kleine Journal says that Bulgaria has threatened to occupy Macedonia unless Turkey consents to the plans of the powers for international control of Macedonian finances. Bulgaria regards the present crisis when the powers are threatening to back their programme with a show of force, as offering a favorable opportunity for her to play her own game in Macedonia. Prince Ferdinand aspires to annex Macedonia and proclaim himself as king of greater Bulgaria.

Affairs in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 23.—An official announcement made today states that Count Witte has received forty telegrams from Lithuanian citizens in which they demand autonomy for their country and request the government not to couple Lithuania with Poland in providing for its future government.

Advices from Moscow say that a plot has been discovered whereby plans were being prepared to start a massacre there on Sunday, following the te deum services. The conspirators intended to fire at the holy images from a Jewish house, thus provoking the worshippers to attack the house and bring on an anti-Semitic massacre.

Helsingfors, Finland, Nov. 23.—M. Gerard, president of the department of civil and ecclesiatical affairs of the imperial council, has definitely been appointed as the new governor-general of Finland.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 23.—It is reported that a new Russian loan for 100,000,000 marks, at 7 per cent., has been negotiated through Berlin capitalists.

Safe Found.

Paterson, N. J. Nov. 23.—The small safe containing over $7,000 worth of jewerly, which was stolen from the home of Frederick W. Cooke, 384 Broadway, last night, was found in the yard of the Joseph Sharpe Construction Company, this morning. All of its valuable contents were gone, with the exception of two small rings. The thieves were plainly professional porch climbers, for they entered the house when the entire family was down stairs, and without disturbing them threw the safe from a window onto the lawn.

They then drove off and it is believed the safe was rifled in a small patch of woods near by, and the receptacle then thrown into the Sharpe yard. The entire detective force is on the case, but, thus far, no tangible clue has been found. A reward of $1,000 has been offered by Mr. Coone.

Funeral of Victims.

St. Malo, France, Nov. 23.—The bodies of sixty-seven of the victims of the disaster in the wreck of the channel steamer Hilda were buried this afternoon at public expense. All of these victims lived in this region, and a common funeral ceremony was performed and they were buried in the same cemetery. The French sub-prefect and the British Consul both attended the services and made eloquent addresses beside the graves of the unfortunates.

Runaway Bull on the Roof.

Pottsville, Pa., Nov 23.—At the packing house of Weissinger Brothers here yesterday a 1200-pound bull ran up an inclined runway, broke through a window and got out upon the roof of the building, a distance of fifty feet above ground. The bellowing bull attracted a crowd so large that it interfered with business, and D. C. Pritchard finally shot the brute.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

The Market.

Georgetown, Nov. 23—Wheat 70@80.

Secretary Wilson in Richmond.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., Nov. 23.—Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson is here and will address the public in the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon at 3 o'clock under the auspices of the Southern Agricultural Convention now in session.

Midshipman Meriweather.

Annapolis, Md. Nov. 23.—Before the trial by the court martial of Midshipman Minor Meriweather, jr., is concluded, their promises to be thrown into the issue not only the circumstances of the fatal encounter of November 5, but the entire honor system of the Academy with its remedy for breaches of middy etiquette by personal combat. The defense it is understood, will develope two phases of the cases, first, that Meriweather was systematically persecuted by the second class men, particularly Branch, and second, that under the time-honored system his only recourse was the policy he adopted in his affair with Branch. It will be shown not only that fighting is not prohibited at the Academy, but has been tacitly and expressly approved by the authorities.

From stories being related about the campus, a finish fight occured the evening following the Branch-Meriweather battle. There are said to have been all told, some seven fights under the code between classmen in Bancroft Hall, since Branch's death. While not a nightly occurrence, in the midshipman's dormitory, the customary method of settling personal disputes by fighting 860 lads must be rather frequently invoked. Nevertheless, the record of eight fights in less than three weeks is considered "going some," even by the old officers. The second day's session of the court martial commenced at 10 o'clock this morning. Midshipman Meriwether was accompanied to court by his counsel, Lieut Commander Robinson, and his uncle, Colonel W. C. McNutt, of Memphis.

Rear Admirrl McCormick moved that the judge advocate be instructed to seek more suitable quarters for the accomodation of the court. The court may move later to Bancroft Hall.

Captain Mairx read the record of the trial preliminaries yesterday, and distributed among the witnesses, who appeared yesterday, copies of their testimony for approval. These formalities occupied the better part of an hour.

To prove that midshipmen have access to the naval regulations which prohibit fighting between persons in the navy, Captain Marix called Lieutenant Commander H. J. Ziegmeier, executive officer on the training ship Hartford, during last summer's practice cruise. He testified that Meriwether was on the cruise, and during that time the regulations were read to the midshipmen and were posted on the gun deck for the information of all hands.

Branch's injury and the operation to save his life, were described by Lieutenant Commander J. A. Stone, chief medical officer of the academy.

Admiral McCormick asked Dr. Stone if he was prepared to swear that Branch's brain trouble and death were not caused by diseased arteries.

"I am not prepared so to swear," responded the witness. "In the absence of an autopsy, which was forbidden by the father, I cannot say certainly what caused death."

Jewish Day of Mourning.

New York, Nov. 23.—The Jews on the East Side made today a day of mourning for the victims of their race who perished in the Russian massacres. Six thousand men and women passed through the streets of the Ghetto in a mourning parade, behind a band with muffled drums, playing funeral dirges. Many prayer meetings were held simultaneously with the parade. Letters received by the Jews of the East Side yesterday from the survivors of the massacre tell tales of horror in southern Russia. One of the letters read: "With my own eyes I saw some of the mob take little babies and children, throw them up high, and let them fall on the paving stones to be crushed to death. Others took little babies, raised them over their heads, and threw them down as hard as they could, killing many in this way. Women were stabbed and cut open with big knives. We who remain envy those who are dead."

Murder Suspected.

New York, Nov. 23.—The police are today investigating the death of a man believed to be William J. Harrington, whose body was found early this morning, in the rear of Paul Kelly's notorious dive "Little Naples," at Nos. 57 and 59 Great Jones street. The man had been shot through the heart and apparently an effort had been made to conceal the corpse. In a pocket of the clothing, according to the police, unmistakable evidence was found that the man was a repeater in the recent election. There was also a letter which, coroner Goldenkranza says, is too important to be made public. "It will prove that this man was murdered," he said. "It is of a most sensational nature. I cannot give it out at this time." It is said that the letter contains information regarding the repeating vote and the repeaters who are still in this city.

Suicide of a Detective.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 23.—Wm. C. Hoover, detective for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas. His home was in Cecilton, Md. Hoover had been working on the Todd case in Philadelphia, and the work preyed on his mind to such an extent that for the past two days he could not sleep. He worked at Cecilton, Md., at night and when he came home for breakfast he went to his room and placed the gas hose in his mouth. He was dead when his sister found him.

No Poison in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

From Napier, New Zealand, Herald: Two years ago the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the cough medicines that they declared were entirely free from all poisons. This exception was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, made by the Chamberlain Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A. The absence of all narcotics makes this remedy the safest and best that can be had; and it is with a feeling of security that any mother can give it to her little ones. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is especially recommended by its makers for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. When taken in time it prevents pneumonia. This remedy is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Ovation to King and Queen.

Copenhagen, Nov. 23.—The people of Copenhagen, who have at last been aroused to tardy enthusiasm over the election of Prince Charles of Denmark to the throne of Norway, today for the first time gave the new King Haakon and Queen Maude a notable ovation as the Norwegian rulers were taking their departure for their future home. The enthusiasm among royalists and the elaborate descriptions in the newspapers of the ceremony with which Prince Charles was informed of his election and accepted the crown soon aroused them to greater enthusiasm. Today the city was gaily decorated with flags, and great crowds of people thronged the streets. A holiday was decreed and the presence of great throngs of people in the streets added to the spectacle. The weather was ideal, and this resulted in bringing out thousands of people who engaged in all kinds of holiday festivities. King Haakon and Queen Maude drove in a goldep coach through the crowds of people, escorted by a detachmen of Hussars to the harbor where they boarded King Christian's yacht, the Danntborg. All members of the Danish royal family and all Danish officials participated in the ceremony with which the young rulers were started on their journey to Norway. A squadron of Danish warships will accompany the Danneborg to Christiana.

Battleship Virginia.

Rockland, Me., Nov. 23.—The Battleship Virginia started on her four hour endurance run at 9:10 o'clock today. The start was made at a point off Monhegan Island, where the straight away southerly course begins, the course extends almost straight away in the direction of Boston. At the conclusion of the trip the trial boards will be transferred to a tug off Boston light, and the Virginia will proceed to Newport News to receive the finishing touches from the builders. There was a light breeze blowing from the west, while the weather was so thick that it was considered improbable that the Virginia could be seen from any point along the Maine coast.

Marshall Field's Condition.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Seven o'clock this morning found the condition of Marshall Field, jr., who last night accidently shot himself, it is announced, with a pistol, bordering on the danger line. Marshall Field, sr., is coming to Chicago from New York by special train of the Lake Shore and New York Central Railways. All previous efforts in the way of breaking records may be surpassed. At 8 o'clock the statement was made that Field was resting easily and that the prospects were favorable that the patient will pull through the day.

Thirteen Monks Killed.

Vienna, Nov. 23.—Thirteen monks were killed during an earthquake at Mount Athos by the fall of rocks which crushed them. Several others who were in a boat were drowned by a sea wave caused by the earthquake.

Ito Struck by a Stone.

London, Nov. 23.—A news agency dispatch from Tokio says that a message from Seoul states that Marquis Ito was slightly injured by a stone thrown by one of a party of disorderly Koreans on Wednesday night.

Destruction of a Coal Hulk.

Sheerness, Eng., Nov. 23—The British frigate Forte, which has been used as a coal hulk, caught fire this morning in the Medway river. There were 2,000 tons of coal in the hulk, and it burned so fiercely that the firemen were not able to approach close enough to the vessel to fight the flames on account of the intense heat. Later the gunboat Bustard was ordered to sink the Forte, and began shelling the burning hulk with six inch shells.

South Wants Labor.

The opening session of the Southern States Association of Commissioners of Agriculture began in Richmond yesterday morning. Mr. George W. Koiner, Secretary of Agriculture of Virginia and president of the association, introduced Mayor McCarthy, who welcomed the visitors, Governor Montague was on the programme for a speech of welcome, but he being absent in New York Congressman John Lamb did the honors for the State.

Mayor McCarthy made a stirring speech, in which he opposed the indiscriminate dumping of foreigners into the South. He declared that a country man could be made a city man, but that it was impossible to turn a city man into a farmer. He deployed the rush of young men to the cities, and said he would like to see some plan adopted to make the country more attractive to them. He wanted to see more towns and villages and fewer cities.

Congressman Lamb's speech was warm in its welcome.

The report of President Geo. W. Koiner and the standing committees followed.

Besides the delegates from the South there are a number of visitors from northern states, representatives of implement manufacturers and others.

The afternoon session was taken up with addresses. United States Commissioner F. P. Sargeant spoke on "How to Attract Immigration to the South."

H. W. Collingwood gave "A Northern View of Southern Immigration," and J. E. Watson, of Columbia, S. C., spoke on "How to Locate Immigrants in the South."

These addresses induced considerable discussion and it is plain that the question of immigration is the leading topic in the meeting.

The feature of the gathering will be the address of the United States Secretary of Agriculture, Hon. James Wilson, today.

Unable to find employment after ten days search, and out of money, Robert H. Barr, 22 years old, of Harpers Ferry, W. Va., attempted suicide by drinking laudanum early this morning in a vacant lot in Chambers street, near Broadway, New York. He was removed to the Hudson street hospital where prompt treatment saved his life.

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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 23, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:52 a. m. and sets at 4:42 p. m. High water at 4:55 a. m. and 5:20 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and warmer tonight and Friday; light southerly winds.

Beautiful Communion Service.

At a meeting of the vestry of St. George's Episcopal Church, of Fredericksburg, Virginia, held at the parish house on Tuesday, November 21, Junior Warden A. B. Botts, on behalf of John W. Herndon, of Alexandria, Virginia, presented to the church a complete service for the administration of holy communion, consisting of five pieces, viz: Chalice paten, flagon, bread box and chalice spoon and also the fair linen cloths, which service was accompanied by a letter as follows:

"To the vestry of St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, Virginia.

"Gentlemen—To the church of my fathers, and the church in which my father and mother were married, and into which I was baptized, it gives me great pleasure to present herewith a complete service for the administration of the holy communion to the sick and to small congregations.

"This service consists of five pieces, viz; Chalice, paten, flagon, bread box and chalice spoon and two fair linen cloths.

"As the inscription indicates 'this service is dedicated to the service of God and in loving memory of Edward Herndon, Edward Herndon, Joseph Herndon, Dabney Herndon and Brodie Strachan Herndon, five successive generations of Vestrymen of St. George's church, Fredericksburg, Virginia, 1727-1866.'

"With the hope that God may bless the service to which it is put and that by His divine grace it may be of some comfort to the sick and the dying and to sin-sick souls, is the earnest prayer of

"JOHN W. HERNDON."

Advent, 1905.

Thereupon on motion of Alvin T. Embrey the vestry of St. George's church accept the holy communion service, and on behalf of the church tender Mr. Herndon their grateful thanks for the beautiful service.

And an motion it was further resolved, That this resolution be inscribed on the minutes of the vestry, and a copy thereof be forwarded Mr. Herndon by the clerk of the vestry.

Mr. Herndon is a son of Dr. Dabney Herndon, both of whom formerly resided here.—[Fredericksburg Star.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

John Neal, arrested by Officer Garvey charged with vagrancy, was dismissed.

A woman, arrested by Officer Nicholson charged with abusive language toward another woman, forfeited her collateral by failing to appear.

Edward Griffith, arrested by Officer Nicholson charged with disorderly conduct, was fined $2.

Additional Aid.

The following additional sums have been subscribed for the aid of the sufferers from the recent disturbances in Russia: Mrs. J. P Stump, $2; Swan Bros., $5; C. W. Howell, $1; Miss L. Aitcheson, $1; E E. Downham, $2; W. A. Barnett, $1; J. McWilliams, $2; H. Wildt, $2; cash, $1; T. A. Groves, $1; S. Bloudheim, $5; M. Morris, $5; cash, $1. The sum collected up to yesterday was forwarded today.

Annual Report.

The one hundred and twenty-fifth annual statement of the finances of the city of Alexandria, department reports of the fiscal year ending May 31, 1905, the revenue and license laws and the official directory for 1905-6 prepared by Auditor E. F. Price, has been published. The little volume contains matters of interest to all citizens of Alexandria.

Improvements.

The First National Bank building, on the southwest corner of Prince and Lee streets, has been painted and other embellishments placed upon it. The vicinity of the bank has been greatly improved by the new vitrified brick roadway, and attempts are again being made to have the work continued on Lee street from Prince to King.

Runaway.

A horse attached to a milk wagon in charge of William Shepherd ran away on Gibbon steet this morning. The vehicle was damaged and the horse seriously injured. The shafts of the wagon were broken and a piece was driven through the leg of the horse. It will probably be necessary to kill the animal.

Lamp Upset.

A serious fire was narrowly averted at the residence of Mr. Thomas Chauncey, No. 808 Duke street, Tuesday night. A lamp was knocked over which started a fire in the room. By prompt action and presence of mind the flames were subdued and the damage which resulted was comparatively slight.

Sudden Death.

Charles B. Hudson, colored, about 65 years of age, fell on West street, near King, yesterday afternoon, and died soon after he had been removed to his home in the neighborhood. The deceased had been a sufferer from heart disease.

Revival Services.

The revival services which had been in progress in Trinity M. E. Church since the first of the month were closed last night. The meetings have been conducted by Rev. Mr. Jeffers, pastor of the church, and they have been of an interesting nature.

Old Depot Building.

Workmen are engaged in making certain alterations in the old depot building on the northeast corner of Cameron and Fayette streets. The structure will be used temporarily by the engineer corps of the Washington-Southern Railway.

Toes Amputated.

Benjamin Hughes, an employee of the Washington-Southern Railway Company, who was injured recently by a barrel rolling upon him, is still at the Alexandria Hospital. Yesterday some of his toes were amputated.

Personal.

Captain J. V. Davis, who for nearly a third of a century was superintendent of the National Cemetery at Alexandria, paid a flying visit to this city yesterday and was cordially greeted by many of his friends and acquaintances. The captain is now in charge of the Antietam National Cemetery.

Mr. Archibald H. Taylor has taken the house of Mrs. Lewis Hopkins, 1510 Park avenue, where his sister, Mrs. Frances D. Lee, of Virginia, and her daughter, Miss Constance Lee, will spend the winter with him.—[Baltimore American.

Mr. Gardner L. Boothe has returned from Richmond where he went to act as usher at the wedding of Mr. Arthur J. Rapley and Miss Edna Louise Forbes, which took place there yesterday.

"Dora Thorne."

"Dora Thorne" is proving one of the most interesting and successful new plays of the present season. The book of "Dora Thorne" has a beautiful story of love written around a moral, which is as powerful as it is true. "The consequences of sin seldom end with its originators," is an old adage, but one which is ever new. This theme is brought out in the play of "Dora Thorne" as in the book, with a wonderfully original setting; tears and laughter follow in quick succession; sincere heart interest is manifested at every turn, interwoven with the most powerful of all themes—"love." In speaking of it one critic says: "'Dora Thorne' is a literary composition so unstudied and so faultlessly arranged that its success is not dependent upon melodramatic climaxes and situations. It stands in contrast to the average melodrama like the inspiring freshness and coolness of an autumn morning compared with the sultry and tempestuous summer heat." "Dora Thorne" will appear at the Opera House tomorrow night.

Old Bank Building.

It is said that the Free Methodist congregation of this city is contemplating the purchase of the old Citizens' National Bank building, on the northwest corner of Prince and Lee streets, for church purposes. The building now used by the Free Methodists is situated on the east side of Lee street, between Wolfe and Wilkes, and was erected in 1880.

Death at the Hospital.

George Gallagher, a native of Pennsylvania, died at the Alexandria Hospital last night. The deceased was the engineer of a steam shovel now being operated at Franconia, on the Washington-Southern Railway. His remains will be forwarded by Demaine & Son to Pennsylvania for interment.

Tebbs's Condition.

The condition of Benjamin Tebbs, colored, who shot himself at his house, 818 Duke street, yesterday, and who was taken to the Alexandria Hospital, had improved today. His recovery is thought to be probable.

Mrs. Hooper's Letter.

Batesville, Ark., Nov. 20.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

Dear Sir: I was taught to give honor where honor was due. Recently I was very agreeably surprised to receive a gift of $5 from the Blue Ridge Chapter U. D. C., as it is the first Chapter to respond to my kind friend's suggestion in the June Veteran. It touched me that Old Virginia's noble women should be the first camp. I have had eleven veterans to remember me but these are the first women. The old saying is when the women reach out their hands you are safe. My letters are now in Winchester, by request of Major J. Ogden Murray, who in his kindness of heart thought he might put them in booklet form and they might sell. I would certainly be proud for the world to see them, as I can safely say I am the only woman now living that can show such proof of love to our cause. Miss Millie Stewart had them, but I suppose they are all lost; forty years is a long time.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The schooner Howard, loaded with lumber by Smoot & Co., has sailed for the lower river.

Brakeman Travers, of the Southern Railway, fell between the cars of a moving freight train at Monroe today and was seriously injured.

The Junior Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church will hold a sale at the Parish Hall, corner of Pitt and Duke streets, on Saturday, Nov. 25th, from twelve to five o'clock p. m.

On petition of citizens of Mount Vernon district, Fairfax county, Judge C. E. Nicol of the circuit court for Fairfax has appointed Asbury Payne a constable for Mount Vernon district.

A pleasant evening is promised to all who go to the Odd Fellows' Hall this evening, where the ladies of the Lutheran Church will give an oyster supper. Fine music will be rendered by the Ideal Musical Club. An attraction will be a very pretty doll to be raffled for.

A deed was recorded today signed by Hattie V. Creighton conveying to J. Harvey Creighton the house and lot at the southeast corner of Queen and Patrick streets. The consideration named is $2,000.

The Virginia Military Institute.

After earnest and careful deliberation, continuing through more than four hours, and concluding after 1 o'clock this morning, the board of visitors of the Virginia Military Institute unanimously rejected the paper submitted by the cadet third class, charged with insubordination, and, as final action disposing of the matter for all time, ordered that the extreme penalty of dismissal be enforced upon all who shall at the expiration of seven days have failed to comply with the regulations hereafter made.

In the course of the long discussion nearly every member of the board and several distinguished gentlemen invited to be present and participate in the session, spoke briefly or at length as he desired, urging his views as to the most advisable action or making suggestions tended to relieve the remarkable situation confronting the management of the institute. It was generally recognized that the future of the historic old school was at stake. Concessions were urged.

Governor Montague, Lieutenant-Governor Willard, Judge Thomas N. Wilcox, of Norfolk, and others appeared and attempted to stem the tide arguing that the insurgent cadets were thoroughly penitent; that they were holding back simply because they could not in honor go farther than they have done, and that in fact they had in true military spirit, if not in express terms, submitted to the decision of their superors and complied with the demands of the board.

Every consideration was given to the statements made by these gentlemen, but the argument was of no avail. Members of the board, one after the other arose and declared that to recede would be disastrous to the Institute, and that if the future of the school would be preserved the board must stand firm in the position already taken and insist upon express compliance with its requirements. There was but one dissenting voice. Colonel F. L. Smith, of Alexandria, while casting his vote with the majority, expressed satisfaction with the paper which, he declared complied in substance with the demands of the board. The others, to a man, were opposed to any concessions

Mr. Hamilton, surrendering the chair, made an earnest speech, in the course of which he pointed out the gravity of the situation and called for decisive action. A compromise, he said, would strike at the very foundation of the institute. Discipline must be maintained rigidly or the board might as well close the school. The sentiment prevailed. On'y the fact that the intervention of Governor Montague created among the cadets the impression that through his great influence the paper submitted last night would be accepted, saved the class from summary dismissal. In view of this connection the board allowed time for further consideration.

The time is extended seven days from the date of the publication of the order which will occur on Friday. If at the expiration of this time the class or any portion of it has failed to withdraw and in substance express regret for its action, the penalty of dismissal will be entailed.—[Richmond Times Dispatch.

COURT OF APPEALS.

The court of Virginia disposed of the following cases yesterday:

Shannon's administrator vs. Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company. Argued and submitted.

Rowland vs. Rowland. Argued and continued until today.

The next case to be called is City of Richmond vs. Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, foot of the privileged docket, and Nos. 1, 2, and 3 on the argument docket.

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERmaster's Department, Washington, D. C., November 22, 1905.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., Wednesday, December 6, 1905, for grading and resurfacing the road between Fort Myer Drill Ground and the Arlington National Cemetery, Virginia. Specifications and information can be obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Grading and Resurfacing Road," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.
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SPECIAL NOTICE.—The members of JAMES W. JACKSON COUNCIL, NO. 55, JR. O. U. A. M., are hereby notified to attend a regular meeting on THURSDAY night, November 23rd at their hall on Pitt street, when a pound party will be given for the benefit of a disabled member, who is very deserving. Each member is requested to bring a supply of provisions, as is the usual custom on these occasions. At this meeting the council will also decide as to whether the amount of death benefits shall be doubled. By order of the council.

W. K. GRIFFITH, Secretary.
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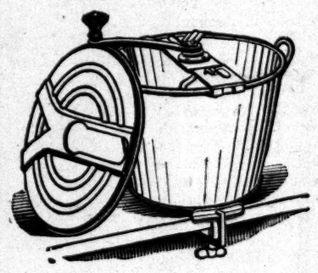

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Americans to be Shot

In Chihuahua Tuesday evening Judge Rios sentenced C. T. Richardson, C. S. Harle and William Mason, Americans, to be shot. The men were accused of murdering two men in Chihuahua for life insurance money. Richardson was an insurance agent, Mason was his brother-in-law, and Harle was the examining physician. It was charged that they murdered a man named Devers, whom they decoyed from El Paso, and another man named Mitchell, who is said to be a half-brother of Mason. Richardson is from Rochester, N. Y., where he married Mason's sister. The case has been in the Mexican court three years. Harle formerly was an El Paso physician. In Rochester Mason was known as William Mitchell, and Richardson went by the name of Leslie E. Hulbert. They left there suddenly because of alleged crookedness in divorce cases which they handled. Mrs. Richardson (Miss Mitchell then) was a stenographer in Richardson's office before she was married to him.

Body of Murderer Found.

Nyack, N. Y., Nov. 23.—The dead body of W. H. Jones, who last night shot and killed Harry Britton and wounded Frank Britton, brothers of Jessie Britton, of whom he was enamored, was found in the Baptist church yard today. It was evident that immediately after the shooting he had gone to the church yard and there ended his existence. All night long an armed posse with shot guns had been hunting through the woods in the hope of finding some trace of Jones. It was not until just after daylight that the body was found. Joseph Britton, uncle of the Britton boys, who led the posse, was the first to discover the body.

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New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $2.50
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Notice to State Taxpayers.

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Have on hand Gibson's XX, XXX, XXXX, and Pure Old Rye, Old Cabinet and Monogram Whiskies; also Baker's and Thompson's Pure Rye Whiskies, to which they invite the attention of the trade.
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Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country Produce solicited, for which they guarantee the highest market prices and prompt returns
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Country Produce received daily. Our stock of Plain and Fancy Groceries embraces everything to be had in this line.
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Hot Weather
Is past and the cool days and cooler nights demand
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Naturally you want the THE BEST at the LOWEST PRICES.
To this end we invite your attention to our large and selected stock of
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MEN'S HEAVY FLEECED UNDERSHIRTS AND DRAWERS at 37½c, 50c to $1 each.
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LADIES' RIBBED VESTS AND PANTS, 25c, 37c, 50c to $1.25 each.
Children's Shirts and Drawers 12½c for small sizes up.
BLANKETS, special at 25c and 50c each; 98c, $1.10, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $3, $3.50 up to $6.50 and $7 per pair.
COMFORTS, 75c, 98c, $1.39 up to $3 each.
Ladies' Home Journal Patterns 10c and 15c in stock.
Remnants in Outings, 5c, 8c, &c,
Full line of Flannelettes, &c.
A. C. Slaymaker
429 KING STREET.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF DIRECTORS for the ensuing year by the stockholders of THE STANDARD BRICK COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, room 2, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria Va., MONDAY, December 11, 1905. Polls open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock p. m., in pursuance of bylaws of said company.
By order of the President.
T. L. HOLBROOK.
Attest: HENRY P. WEST, Secretary.
nov10,20,27, dec4, 11.

OTTERBURN LITHIA WATER.—This water is indicated in all affections due to Uric Acid, Disthesis, Gout, Rheumatism, Stone in the Bladder, Kidneys or Liver Bright's Disease and Kidney Diseases of every form For sale by
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are caused by Indigestion. If you eat a little too much, or if you are subject to attacks of Indigestion, you have no doubt had shortness of breath, rapid heart beats, heartburn or palpitation of the heart.
Indigestion causes the stomach to expand—swell, and puff up against the heart. This crowds the heart and interferes with its action, and in the course of time the heart becomes diseased.
Kodol
Dyspepsia Cure
digests what you eat, takes the strain off of the heart, and contributes nourishment, strength and health to every organ of the body. Cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour Stomach, Inflammation of the mucous membranes lining the Stomach and Digestive Tract, Nervous Dyspepsia and Catarrh of the Stomach.
After eating, my food would distress me by making my heart palpitate and I would become very weak. Finally I got a bottle of Kodol and it gave me immediate relief. After using a few bottles I am cured.
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I had stomach trouble and was in a bad state as I had heart trouble with it. I took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for about four months and it cured me.
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Digests What You Eat
Dollar bottle holds 2½ times as much as the trial, or 50 cent size. Prepared at the Laboratory of E. O. DeWitt & Co., Chicago U. S. A.

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Wedding Gifts.
If you have received a wedding invitation and are at a loss what to give, let us help you out. We have suitable articles from $1.50 to $50 or more, such as Sterling Silver, Cut Glass, Clocks, Plated Ware, etc.
We also wish to call your attention to the celebrated "Hull Bros." detachable Umbrellas. These umbrellas have detachable handles, enabling them to be packed in a trunk. They also make an acceptable gift for lady or gentlemen on any occasion. We have them sterling silver mounted with best silk bases from $4.25 to $7.
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Will furnish and repair all kinds of Machinery, Iron and Brass Castings, Wrought and Cast Iron Fences, Mill Work, Ship and Blacksmithing, Edge Tools, Mill Picks, Facing Hammers, and all kinds of Mill Work made and repaired at the shortest notice and at reasonable prices. The highest market price paid for old Wrought and Cast Iron, Brass and Copper

A SPECIAL MEETING of the stockholders of the SEMMES-KELLEY COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company, 111 south Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on FRIDAY, December 15, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and directors and the transaction of any other business that may be presented to the stockholders.
EDWARD J. KELLEY, Secretary.
no10 30t

Alexandria Gazette.
THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 23, 1905.

Habit In Appetite.

The so called cravings of appetite are purely the result of habit. A habit once acquired and persistently followed soon has us in its grasp, and then any deviation therefrom temporarily disturbs our physiological equilibrium. The system makes complaint, and we experience a craving. It may be, for that to which the body has become accustomed, even though this something be in the long run distinctly injurious to the welfare of the body. There has thus come about a sentiment that the cravings of the appetite for food are to be fully satisfied, that this is merely obedience to nature's laws. This idea, however, is fundamentally wrong. Any one with a little persistence can change his or her habits of life, change the whole order of cravings, thus demonstrating that the latter are purely artificial and that they have no necessary connection with the welfare or needs of the body. In other words, dietetic requirements are to be founded not upon so called instinct and craving, but upon reason and intelligence.—Russell H. Chittenden in Century.

The Practical Joker.

See the practical joker. He is not much of a sight, but still he is worth looking at as a curiosity, as a study in uncommon cussedness. The practical joker is the offspring of asininity run to seed. He is what was left over after the rest of the world was created. There was a slight surplus, a mere fraction, not enough to make a complete man, so the scraps were scraped up, pressed together and molded into a practical joker. The job was not patented. Nobody thinks enough of the invention to patent it. You couldn't sell practical jokers for 3 cents a bunch if you should stand out on the corner and spiel till your vocal cords got tied into double bowknots. The public is aware of the shell game when it sees the layout. The practical joker is an escaped idiot from the Idiotville asylum, but he is by no means a harmless idiot. When recognized, he should be roped forthwith and hauled back to his native and natural environment, the padded cell.—Portland Oregonian.

Blue and Gray Tobacco Smoke.

Did you ever notice while enjoying your favorite cigar that the smoke that curls up from the burning end of the "weed" is blue, while that exhaled from the mouth is of a whitish gray? The explanation of this oddity is not far to seek. The wreath from the fiery end of the cigar is in the shape of infinitesimal dust particles, and all such particles (even the blue of the atmosphere is explained in the same way) reflect the blue color. In the case of the exhaled smoke the fine particles have united with the moisture of the breath and have thereby become several folds larger than those escaping direct from the burning tobacco. This being the case, they have become large enough to reflect the white light, which gives the exhaled smoke an entirely different color.

His Love Was His Ruin.

When Hannibal had crossed the Alps into Italy he established himself in winter quarters in one of the finest houses in Capua. While walking one day in the garden he heard a sweet voice near at hand. Struck by the charm of its tones, he sent for the singer and became so enamored of her that he at once attached her to his household and disposed of her hapless husband by beheading him. Retribution quickly followed this outrage. The balance of the winter was devoted to pleasure. Drill and discipline were neglected, and as spring came on the Carthaginian army was so demoralized that its prestige was lost, and the downfall of Hannibal followed.

Carrot Jam.

Our best carrots are sold to jam-makers. We have made from 30 shillings to 45 shillings per ton, according to season. The carrots are washed clean in the field and taken to the station in our bags. At the station we drop them into clean sugar bags. And who but ourselves knows what the bags contain? Why, if any one saw a consignment of carrots for a jam factory the firm would soon be in ill repute. It would not do. I say emphatically jam—the very best jam—can be and is made from carrots and vegetable marrows.—Letter in London Mail.

Velocity of Meteorites.

It is no wonder that stones which fall from the regions of space are fired by the impact when they strike our atmosphere. Astronomers estimate that they fall with a velocity of at least 60,000 yards per second. This extraordinary speed is best understood by comparing it with a ball from a modern cannon, which never travels with a speed greater than 600 yards per second.

Still In the Nobility.

Neighbor—How did your daughter's marriage with that count turn out? Mrs. Brickrow—Her last letter states that he has spent all her money, and she is taking in washing; but, then, I presume, she washes only for the nobility.

Evolution.

"Has he changed his style of living much since he inherited this vast wealth?"
"No; simply changed from secondhand clothes to secondhand dishes and furniture."—Life.

Real Progress.

"How is father getting on with his riding lessons?"
"Very well. We children are allowed to watch him now."—Tales From Fliegende Blatter.

Humility hath depressed many a genius to a hermit, but never raised one to fame.—Shenstone.

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AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind.

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The Danger Loses all Its Terrors When You Have This Marvelous Remedy at Your Hand
Any night your little one may waken with the croup. Death clutches tightly on the tender throat. And you—are helpless.
Be prepared. Keep a bottle of Gowan's Pneumonia Cure in your room. A moment's brisk rubbing on the throat and chest, and you have the croup under control. In a few moments the healing liquids have driven the cold out; the child is cured, as suddenly as croup comes.
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"Your remedy is truly a God-send to humanity. We have used it in our family for the past year, and only last night our baby had an attack of croup. We at once applied Gowan's Pneumonia Cure, and in fifteen minutes our child was fast asleep, and this morning is quite well. We do not feel safe without the Cure in the house, and we recommend all people to get it and use it promptly.—J. D. GUNTER, Sandford, N. C."

A Creeping Death.
Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death J. E Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and save his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

Nature Needs But Little.
Nature needs only a Little Early Riser now and then to keep the bowels clean, the liver active, and the system free from bile, headaches, constipation, etc. The famous little pills "Early Risers" are pleasant in effect and perfect in action. They never gripe or sicken, but tone and strengthen the liver and kidneys. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

But Few Are Free.
But few people are entirely free from indigestion at this season of the year. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is not only the best remedy to use because it digests what you eat but because it also enables the digestive apparatus to assimilate and transform all foods into tissue-building blood. Kodol relieves sour stomach, heart burn, belching, and all forms of Indigestion. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

When you want a pleasant physic try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no griping or no unpleasant effect. Sold by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Important Changes in Schedule at Alexandria and in Train Numbers, Washington-Southern Railway, Effective Sunday, November 26th.

Train 82 (now No. 32) will stop only to discharge passengers.
Train 84 (now No. 34) will leave 9:51 a. m. daily.
Train 14 (now No. 406) will leave 2.53 p. m., except Sunday.
Train 22 (now No. 404) will leave 7:08 p. m. daily.
Train 66 will leave 8:18 p. m. daily.
Train 80 (now No. 40) will leave 11:33 p. m. daily.
Following is a list of trains at present and the numbers as they will be known commencing November 26th:

Old Number.	Northward.	New Number.
32	A. C. L. Florida and West Indian Ltd.	82
400	Quantico and Washington accommo'n.	2
34	Seaboard Express.	84
402	From Richmond and local stations.	10
406	From Richmond and principal stations	14
404	Quantico and Washington accommo'n.	22
66	Seaboard Mail.	66
40	A. C. L. Express.	80
	Southward.	
39	A. C. L. Express.	39
409	For Richmond and local stations.	9
407	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	11
43	Seaboard Mail.	43
35	A. C. L. Florida and West Indian Ltd.	85
401	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	19
403	For Richmond and local stations.	23
31	Seaboard Express.	81
405	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	27

W. P. TAYLOR, Traffic Manager.

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BEGIN NOW
To make your holiday preparations. Our store was never so well equipped with seasonable goods as at present. We have Dried Fruits of every description and dainties for your table galore. Wise housekeepers are beginning to make their purchases now.
Four Crown Seeded Raisins (large and meaty) 12c lb.
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Cleaned Currants, Citron, Candied Lemon and Orange Peel, Figs, Dates, Nuts, and everything too numerous to mention.
BUTTER.
You surely should get some of our delicious Country Butter for cake. 500 lbs to be sold in the next 30 days, 20 to 25c lb.
Thanksgiving Array.
Tinted Malaga Grapes, large bunches, Florida Oranges, Cape Cod Cranberries.
C. R. Yates & Co.,
Groceries and Provisions,
No. 800 South Fairfax Street

AUCTION SALES.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE of a deed of trust duly recorded in deed book No. 52, folio 329, et seq., one of the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, and at the request of the party thereby secured, I will sell at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building on
SATURDAY,
December 2, 1905,
at 12 m. the following described real estate in said city of Alexandria:
Beginning at "7" on the north side of Commerce street seventy-three feet three inches east of West street, and running thence north ninety-six feet to "8," the south side of an alley supposed to be twelve feet wide twenty-four feet east of West street; thence with said alley and parallel with Commerce street six and three-fourths feet to "C," the northeast boundary of the original lot; thence south and perpendicular to Commerce street ninety-five and one-fourth feet to "D," the north side of Commerce street; thence with Commerce street west eighteen and one-half feet to the beginning, together with the improvements thereon, and all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging.
Terms of sale: Cash. Conveyancing at purchaser's cost. M. B. HARLOW,
nov15 td Trustee.

LEADBEATER'S YEAST POWDER Guaranteed absolutely pure. 40c per pound For sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

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Suits $13.50 to $30.00.
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Also a full stock of Ready-to-wear
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NEW NOVELS.
"The Rose o' the River," by Kate Wiggins author of "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm."
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"Starve Crow Farm," by Stanley Weyman.
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PROPOSALS.

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., November 20th, 1905.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., Monday, December 4th, 1905, for constructing a wire fence at Signal Corps Post, Fort Myer, Va. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Constructing Wire Fence," and addressed to Captain A. W BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.
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SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the City Engineer and Committee on Streets until 12 o'clock m., MONDAY, December 4, 1905, stating the charge per hour between the hours of 5 a. m. and 11 p. m. for two horses and a driver to operate a Street Sprinkler and Sweeper, which will be furnished by the city, and to remove sweepings from the vitrified brick pavements; also stating charge per hour when used on streets paved with cobblestones. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.
E. S. LEADBEATER,
Chairman Committee on Streets.
no22 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON FERTILIZER CO., for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may come up, will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., at 11 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, December 13th, 1905.
JOHN F. WILKINS, President.
LOUIS BEYER, JR., Secretary.
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CHERRY COUGH CURE—A safe, pleasant and effectual remedy for Coughs, Colds and affections of the throat and lungs. Contains no morphine or other injurious chemicals Price, 25c. For sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

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Autumn Meeting
WASHINGTON JOCKEY CLUB,
Nov. 16 to Dec. 2.
SIX RACES DAILY.
ADMISSION TO GRAND STAND, $2.00.
PADDOCK 50c EXTRA. LADIES, $1.00.
Pennsylvania Railroad.—Special train leaves Sixth street station, Washington, at 1:20 p. m., returning immediately after last race.
Electric cars direct to track without change every two minutes from 15th street and New York avenue northwest (Columbia line), Washington. Fare 5c.
FIRST RACE 2 P. M.
N. B.—Objectionable characters positively excluded. no13 td

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 17th day of November, 1905.
Minnie Payne vs. Wilber Payne } In Chancery.
Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for an absolute divorce upon the grounds of desertion.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Wilber Payne, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.
A copy—TESTE.
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
Samuel G. Brent, p. q.
no17 w4w-f

HAVING QUALIFIED AS EXECUTOR of the estate of the late LIZZIE G. CHEWNING, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said decedent to come forward and settle, and persons having claims against said estate will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.
C. P. MAHOOD,
Box 195, Lynchburg, Va.
Executor c. t. a. of the estate of Lizzie G. Chewning. no13 10t

NOTICE—Having qualified as executors of the last will and testament of SILAS DENTY, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified to us for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby required to make payment of such indebtedness to us.
ELLEN R. DENTY, Executrix.
CHAS. H. CALLAHAN, Executor.
no8 2w

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as the executor of the will of the late DONALD McLEAN, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said decedent to come forward and settle, and persons having claims against his estate will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.
LEWIS H MACHEN, Executor.
no18 10t

HAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINISTRATOR of the estate of ANNIE F. CHARLES, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me, duly verified, for payment. All persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement at once.
HARRY F. CHARLES,
Administrator of the estate of Annie F. Charles. no21 10t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as the administrator of the estate of HATTIE V. CREIGHTON, I hereby give notice that all persons having claims against the estate can present the same to me for payment and all persons indebted to the estate please settle the same.
FRANK C. CREIGHTON,
Administrator of the estate of Hattie V. Creighton. no21 10t

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Another invoice of the celebrated POTO MAC FLOUR just received by J. C. MILBURN.

RAILROADS
Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.
In effect November 1, 1905
LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.
For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.
Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m.
Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.
LEAVE WASHINGTON.
For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.
Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m.
Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40, 11 00, 11 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m
FOR MOUNT VERNON.
Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 32 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 01 p. m
Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.
FOR ARLINGTON.
Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 00, 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.
Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 10, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p m.
FOR ROSSLYN.
Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.
Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 11 15 a. m 12 15, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.
Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3 00 and 6 10 p. m.
Sundays—8 15 a. m. and 6 20 p. m.
Parcels carried.
Freight carried daily, morning and evening, in each direction. No freight accepted unless delivered at the station at least 30 minutes before the departure of the freight trains.
CLARENCE P. KING, President. J. COLVIN, Superintendent.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY
Schedule effective October 9, 1905.
Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:
7:55 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonbur Warrenton, Danville and way stations.
11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.
11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.
4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch
5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.
7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.
10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.
10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.
11:05 P. M.—Daily—Washington and South western Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham, Memphis and New Orleans. Dining car service
Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:17, 6:32, 9:23, 9 33 A. M. and 2:40, 9:10 and 9:30 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:35 A. M. week days and 9:00 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 8:05 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:00 P. M. daily.
TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.
Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40, and 4:53 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:37 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:53 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.
For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.
H. B. SPENCER, General Manager.
S. H. HARDWICK, Pass. Traf. Mgr.
W. H. TAYLOE, Gen. Passenger Agent.
L. S. BROWN, General Agent.
Washington, D. C.

Washington Southern Ry
Schedule in effect April 16, 1905.
Trains leave station western end of Prince street for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 52 a. m., 12 21, 2 54, 7 08 8 19, and 11 34 p. m., week days.
Sundays—9 52 a. m., 12 21, 7 08, 8 19 and 11 34 p. m.
For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 56 (local), and 11 05 a. m., 3:59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m., week days.
Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 3 59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m.
Accommodation for Quantico 7 56 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 32 p m. except Saturdays.
NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.
W. D. DUKE, C. W. CULP, W. P. TAYLOR
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